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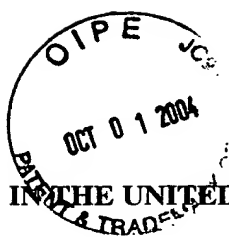
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In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants hereby submit a copy of two Supplemental European Search Reports dated April 16 and April 22, 2004 for corresponding applications. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, a copy of each of the documents not previously cited is enclosed.

Supplemental European Search report dated April 16, 2004 for European Application No. 99971271.4-2114-US9925427; and  
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The information is submitted before the mailing of a first Office Action after the filing of a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. Continued examination is requested and the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) accompanies the present submission.

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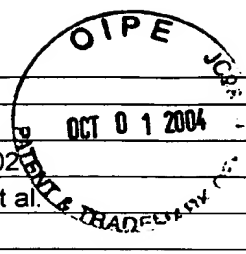
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